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Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☒ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: discussed the declaration.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-31.

Identification of prior art discussed: Baardman et al.; Buchwald et al.; Zhang et al.; Piekarski et al.; Sumi et al.; Qian et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicants and examiners discussed the patentable weight of the preamble and whether or not the substitution of the abstractable ligands would be obvious, and applicants and examiners also discussed the declaration and evidence.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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